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CONDITION OF THE MARKETS

The Government Crop Report Proves a Boomerang for the Speculators.

A Sharp Advance Follows the Announcement of the Figures, but a Quick Decline Ensues-Provisions Easier and Lower.

MONEY, BONDS AND STOCKS.

A Decrease of Activity, Accompanied by a Generally Weak and Feverish Feeling. NEW YORK, May 10.-Money on call was easy at 14 32 per cent., the last loan being made

at 2, closing at 11 32. Prime mercantile paper, 42 26 per cent.

Sterling exchange was active and firm at \$4.86; for sixty-day bills, and \$4.88} for demand. The total sales of stocks to-day were 291,741 shares, including the following: Canada Southern, 3,600; Delaware, Lackawanna & Western, 6,315; Erie, 11,100; Lake Shore, 18,435; Louisville & Nashville, 6,000; Missouri Pacific, 12,100; Northwestern, 5,100; Northern Pacific preferred, 8,040; New England, 17,178; Oregon & Transcontinental. 8,850: Reading, 77,900; Richmond & West Point, 11,815; St. Paul, 32,600; Texas Pacific, 3,900; Union Pacife, 22,700; Western Union, 6,655.

The stock market was less active to-day, and generally weak and feverish throughout the day, with the exception of the first bour. The improved feeling of yesterday still had so me ef-fect this morning, and first prices were gener-ally from † to † per cent, above last night's figures in the active stocks. The "shorts" made an effort to cover, and a further improvement was made in the early trading. The Gould stocks, however, were special features of the morning, shooting up rapidly about 2 per cent. each, but as quickly losing the advantage.

After the demand from the "shorts" was in a Bank of England rate, with the engagement of \$250,000 for export by a prominent banking bouse, put a check upon the advance, and posed completion of the South Penn coupled with rumors of discord at trunk-line meeting, against those Shore, the rest of the list following, while the market became dull and the transactions uninteresting. The crop report was next made the handle for an attack upon the grangers, and there was marked selling of those stocks from Chicago. The "bears" removed their pressure toward 1 o'clock, and a better feeling was manifestested throughout the list, and buying was indulged in again, more animation being accompapied by an upward movement in prices. Mannattan was again the leader of the advance, but fluctuated wildly after the best prices were reached. The last hour, however, saw a re-newal of the "bear" pressure, Texas Pacific be-came extremely weak, and Reading followed. being weaker than at any previous time of the day. The close was quieter, but weak at or near the lowest figures reached. There were a few fractional gains, but the active list is decidedly lower this evening, and Texas Pacific is off 21c; Burlington & Quincy, 21c; Reading, 11c; Canada Southern, Lake Shore Union Pacific, 11c each; Western Union and Nortwestern, 1 c each, and New England, 1 per cent. The new stock of the Texas Pacific was traded in upon the board for the first time today, and was weak, closing at 1910, after selling

as high as 22tc.
Railroad bonds were quiet but very irregular. The only features were the advance and subsequent decline in the Kansas & Texas issues, and the activity and strength in the Wheeling & Lake Eric firsts. The Kansas & Texas sixes furnished \$139,000 out of a total day's business of \$1,132,000. There is still a good investment demand for bonds, and large amounts are being placed outside of the Exchange. Kansas & Texas sevens rose 3, to 98; St. Louis, Vandalia & Terre Haute firsts, 2, to 117, and Colorado Coal firsts, 37, to 105%.

Government bonds were dull and rather State bonds were dull and steady. Closing

fissouri 6s...... 102 Mem? & Charleston... 35 enn. settlem'nt 6s. 104 Michigan Central.... 78 enn. settlem'nt 5s. 95 Mil., L. S. & W..... 56 Tenn. settlem'nt 5s. 95 Mil., L. S. & W..... 56
Tenn. settlem'nt 3s. 70 Mil., L. S. & W. pref. 88
Can. Southern 2ds. 91 Minn. & St. Louis. 64
Central Pacific 1sts. 1143 Minn. & St. L. pref. 144 Den. & Rio G. 1sts. 118 Missouri Pacific..... 763 Den. & Rio G. 4s... 80 Mobile & Objo..... 8 Den. & R.G.W.1sts. 73 Nashville & Chatta... 76 Lrie seconds...... 9678 New Jersey Central. 8238 I., K. & T. gen. 6s. 66 Norfolk & W. pref.. 47 I., K. & T. gen. 5s. 56 Northern Pacific... 2428 Iutual Union 6s... 91 Northern Pac. pref. 5138 orth'n Pac. 1sts. 1184 C. & Northwest'n.1081 North'n Pac. 1sts... 1184 C. & Northwin pref. 1421g

North'n Pac. 2ds... 106

New York Central... 106

Northwest'n consols 140

N. Y., C. & St. L. 141g

N. Y., C. & St. L. pref. 65

Oregon & Trans. 6s. 951g Ohio & Mississippi... 201g

St. L. & I. M. gen. 5s. 83

Ohio & Miss. pref... 80

St. L. & S. F. gen. m. 1157s

Ontario & Western... 16

LONDON, May 10.—Bar silver, 42 3-16d per

NEW YORK. May 10.-Bar silver, 921c.

NEW YORK AND CHICAGO. Yesterday's Quotations on Produce at the

Two Great Commercial Centers. NEW YORK, May 10. - Flour-Receipts, 15,578 packages; exports, 2,484 bris, 1,335 sacks; market very strong. Sales none, Common to good extra Western and State \$2.90@3.45; common to choice white wheat Western extra, \$4.50@4.70; fancy do, \$4.75@5.10; common to good extra Ohio, \$2.90@5.10; common to choice extra St. Louis, \$2.90 @5.10; patent Minnesota, extra good to prime, \$4.60 @4.75; choice to fancy do, \$4.80 @ 5.10.

Wheat-Receipts, none; exports, none; sales, 15,720,000 bu futures and 19,000 bu spot; options excited and very feverish; opened 101c lower, later advanced | @ ic. sbbsequently ruled weaker on free selling both here and at the West, declining lielie, from which there was a reaction of \$0 ic, closing steady, after a brisk business; cash quiet, but held firmly; No. 2 spring nominal, 96c; No. 2 red, nominal at 96j 2097c elevator. 99@99% delivered; No. 2 red, May, 95% @97c, closing at 95%; June, 94 11-16@96%, closing at 94je; July, 95 @ 96je, closing at 95e; August, 944 @ 96c, closing at 944c; September, 94 15-16 @ 964c, closing at 95c; December, 974 @ 994c. closing at 97 c; May (1889) \$1.01 @ 1.03, closing

Corn-Receipts, 120,938 bu; exports, 33,515 bn. Sales, 904,000 bu futures, 178,000 bu Cash firm and more active. Options | @ le better, ruling firm, closing at the top. Speculation rather slow. Ungraded, 63‡ 267c; No. 3, 63‡2 elevator. 64‡ 264‡c delivered; steamer, 63‡ 266‡c elevator, 64‡ 266c delivered; No. 2, 65½ 266‡c elevator, 67 267‡c delivered; No. 2 May, 641 265e, alosing at 65c; June, 632 264c, elosing at 64e: Angust, 63\ 264c, closing at 64e: September, 63\ 264\ 2c, closing at 64e; October, 63\ 264\ 2c, closing at 64e; October, 63\ 264\ 2c, closing at 64e; November, 62\ 2c.

Osts—Receipts, 31,500 bu; exports, 95 bu; sales, 135,000 bu futures, 84,000 bu spot; firm; mixed Western, 37\ 239\ 2c; white Western, 42\ 2c.

Hay quiet and firm; shipping, 60 265c.

Hope have a light inquiry.

Coffee—Spot fair Rio firm as 15tc. Option

shade higher and fairly active; sales, 98,25

bags; May, 13.20 213,35e; June, 12.65 212.80e; July, 11.60 211.80e; August, 10.95 211.05e; September, 10.55 210.65e; October, 10.25 2 10.40e; November, 10.25 210.35e; December, 10.20 210.30e; January, 10.35 210.40e; March, 10.40e; April, 10.40 210.45c. Sugar duil and unchanged; refined quiet; granulated, 61 1-16c. Molasses easier, 56 test, 20e. Rice steady.

Tallow dull and heavy; prime city quoted at 4; #4 9-16c. Rosin quiet at \$1.15 # 1.20.

Eggs easier and dull; Western, 13; #14; receipts, 4,858 packages. Pork firm and fairly active; mess quoted at \$14.00@14.50, old; \$15.00@15.25, new. Cut mests very firm; pickled bellies, 7% Lard opened 2@3 points lower, later advanced 3@5

points, closing weak at about bottom; Western steam, quoted 8.55c; June, 8.40 & 8.43c; July, 8.42 & 8.47c; August, 8.44 & 8.48c; September, 8.48 & 8.50c; October, 8.48 & 8.51c; city steam, 8.10c.

Butter ensier and in fair demand; Western, 18 & 26c. Cheese dull.

CHICAGO, May 10. - There was a nervous activity on 'Change during the morning. The activity on 'Change during the morning. The government crop report was expected, and it was, in the minds of the trade, to cut a big figure in the price of wheat before the close of the day. It was shortly after 11 o'clock when the government estimate on the wheat crop was made public here. There had been some selling to realize on yesterday's big buying, and prices were about to under the close last night. The moment the wires gave the figures there was a flurry on the floor, and everyone turned to the wheat pit. On the instant there was a craze to buy. July jumped at once from 86½ @ scraze to buy, July jumped at once from 861 @ 861c; then in ten seconds to 87c, and this occasioned excitement enough to send the price to 87tc and to 87tc, at the same ma-ment in different parts of the pit. This was the top, and it was le up and a turn in three minutes. June sold up to 85% and December to 89%. At 12 o'clock June was back to last night's price, 85]c; July June was back to last night's price, 85%; July was down to 86%, le off from the top on the bulge, and it lower than last night, and December was back to where it opened, at 88%. The Washington report proved a boomerang. Many operators here and elsewhere had taken wheat since May with a view of unloading with profit on this report. Again, professional traders discounted the effect by bulling the market yesterday. Still again, the country did not come in with a rush to sustain the temporary bulge, and the flash and tumble all in one hour was and the flash and tumble all in one hour was the result. There was a further dash in prices a few minutes before the close, and July sold at 85½c; closing at 85½ 85½c. May closed at 83½c, June at 84½c, and December at 87½ 88c. In corn to-day the range of prices dur-ing the first hour was the range of the day. The pit was almost entirely deserted, and trading was consequently light. The feeling, however, was rather firmer and opening prices about te higher. May opened at 57c, ranged between 56% and 57%c, and closed at 57c. July opened at 55%c, ranged between 55%c and 56%c, and closed as 55% 255%c. Oats were quite active early, round lots coming on were quite active early, round lots coming on the market and being readily taken. The market subsequently became quiet and weaker. May ranged between the opening, 34½c, and the closing figures, 33½c. July sold at 32½ @33c. Provisions ruled easier and prices averaged lower. In the absence of any special demand for cash product, combined with the restricted speculative interest, the "bear" side was regarded with increased favor. July pork opened at \$14.22½, ranged at \$14.25@14.10, and closed at \$14.17½. July lard held held steady at 8.22½c, and June at 8.15@8.20c, closing at 8.17½c. July short ribs held at 7.55@7.80, closing at 7.57½c. The leading futures ranged as follows: Opening. Highest. Lowest.

Wheat-May July..... December. Corn-May..... June..... August... Oats-May.... June July August... 2859 Pork-June....\$14.1219 July 14.3219 Angust ... 14.30

—June ... 8.17¹2

July ... 8.22¹2

September 8.30

October ... 8.30 8.2219 July..... 7.574 August ... 7.674 September 7.75

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour-Better feeling prevailed; prices firm and an advance of 5@10c was generally asked; No. 2 spring wheat, 83\(\frac{1}{2}\)@83\(\frac{1}{4}\)c; No. 2 red, 90\(\frac{1}{2}\)@91c; No. 2 corn, 57c; No. 2 oats, 33\(\frac{1}{4}\)c; No. 2 rye, 63\(\frac{1}{2}\)@64c; No. 2 barley, 77\(\pi\)78c; No. 1 flaxseed, \$1.45; prime timothy-seed, \$2.60\(\pi\)2.65; mess pork, per brl, \$14.05\(\pi\)14.10; lard, per pound, 8.15\(\pi\)8.17\(\frac{1}{2}\)c; short-ribe sides (loose), 7.50c; dry-salted shoulders (hoved), 6\(\pi\)6.25c; short-sleep salted shoulders (boxed), 626.25c; short-clear sides (boxed). 8.05 28.10c; whisky, distill ors' finished goods, per gal., \$1.17; sugars, cutloaf, 7\$ @83c; granulated, 7c; standard A, 6\$c.

On the Produce Exchange, to-day, the butter
market was steady; stocks light; prices firm;
creamery, 20 @25c; dairy, 16 @23c. Eggs in light
supply and firm at 12\$ @13c.

Page 19 000 byles wheet 22 000 by: Receipts-Flour, 19,000 bris; wheat, 22,000 bu; corn. 183.000 bu; oats, 174,000 bu; rye, 5,000 bu; barley, 18,000 bu. Shipments—Flour, 20,000 bris; wheat, 30,000 bu; corn, 104,000 bu; oats, 152,000 bu; barley, 15,000 bu.

TRADE IN GENERAL

Quotations at St. Louis, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Cincippati and Other Points. ST. LOUIS, May 10.—Flour firm but quiet. Wheat opened steady and went off 1c, then recovered and went up 1 3c. becoming steady, later dropped 2c closing 3c lower, No. 2 red, cash, 88c; May, 887gc, closing at 88c nominal; June, 884 2897gc, closing at 884c; July, 863g 883gc, closing at 864c; August, 864 288c, closing at 863gc; December, 905g 2924gc, closing at 905gc. Corn dull and steady; cash, 524gc; May, closing at 524gc; June, 524gc, closing at 524gc, June, 524gc, closing at 524gc, June, 524gc, olosing at 524gc, olosing at 524gc, July, 524g 53c, closing at 524gc. Oats stronger; cash, 354 2354gc; May, 36c; June, 344gc; July, 294gc. Rye—Nothing doing. Barley nominal. Bran, 81c. Hay firm; prime timothy, \$13.50@17; prairie, \$9@13. Butter firm; creamery, 20@24c; dairy, 18@22g. Eggs, 11c. Corn-meal steady at \$2.65. Whisky, \$1.11. Provisions easier. Pork, \$14.65. Lard, 7.75@7.874gc. Dry-salted meats (boxed)—Shoulders, 5.874gc; long clears, 7.374gc 7.50c; clear ribs, 7.50@7.624gc; short clears, 7.874gc 85c. Bacon (boxed)—Shoulders, 6.50c; long clears, 8.30c; clear ribs, 8.35@8.40c; short clears, 8.55c. Hams, 10@12c. Afternoon board—Wheat weak; May, 88c nominal; June, 884gc bid; July, 863gc 884gc; December, 905gc asked Corn dull; May, 524gc bid; June, 524gc bid; July, 527gc. Oats easier; May, 354c; June, 343gc; July, 294gc. Receipts—Flour, 3,000 bris; wheat, 9,000 bu; corn, 43,000 bu; oats, 14,000 bu; rye, 1,000 bu; barley, 4,000 bu; corn, 50,000 bu; cats, 32,000 bu; rye, none; barley, none. ST. LOUIS, May 10 .- Flour firm but quiet

PHILADELPHIA May 10.-Flour firm, with moderate demand. Wheat dull but firm and 192 340 moderate demand. Wheat dull but firm and \$\frac{1}{2}\text{3}\text{4c} higher under light of terings. Sales: ungraded, in elevator, 94c; No. 2 red, May, 96\text{296}\text{2c; June, 96\text{20}} 96\text{2c; June, 96\text{20}} 96\text{2c; July, 95}\text{2096}\text{6c; August, 93}\text{2094}\text{2c. Corn} \text{\text{--Options firm but quiet; spot dull and weak. Sales: steamer No. 2 yellow, in grain depot, 70\text{2c; No. 2 mixed, on track, 71c; No. 2 vellow, in grain depot, 70\text{3c; No. 2 mixed, May, 60\text{266}\text{6c; June, 64\text{265}\text{65}\text{c; July, 64\text{265}\text{65}\text{c; August, 64}\text{2065}\text{65}\text{c. Oats-Spot lota steady. Sales: No. 2 mixed, 39\text{2c; rejected white, 39\text{2c; No. 2 white, in elevator, 43c; futures quiet but steady: No. 2 white, May, 42\text{4042}\text{3c; June, 42\text{4042}\text{3c; June,

BALTIMORE, May 10.—Wheat—Western irregular, closing firmer, No. 2 winter red, spot, 924 293c; May, 924 293c; June, 932933c; July, 924 2934c; August, 92420934c. Corn—Western quiet and steady; mixed, spot, 6312264c; May, 611220613c. Oats quiet and steady; Western white, 43204c; Western mixed, 40242c. Rye strong at 782083c. Hay firm; prime to choice Western, \$15.502017. Provisions dull and unchanged. Receipts—Flour, 7,000 brls; wheat, 2,000 bu; corn, 15,000 bu; cats, 11,000 bu, rye, 6,000 bu. Shipments—Wheat, 24,000 bu; corn, 8,000 bu.

CINCINNATI. May 10.—Flour strong; family, \$3.30@3.85; fancy, \$4.15@4.30. Wheat higher; No. 2 red, 93c; receipts, 1,300 bu; shipments, none. Corn in good demand and steady; No. 2 mixed, 58½@58%c. Oats strong; No. 2 mixed, 36c. Rye steady; No. 2, 70c. Pork firm at \$14.62½. Lard firm at \$8. Bulk meats and bacon easier and unchanged. Whisky active and firm; sales, 1,094 bris of finished goods on a basis of \$1.11. Butter steady. Sugar firm. Eggs strong and higher at 13½cc. Sugar firm. Eggs strong and higher at 13190

MINNEAPOLIS May 10.—Wheat—Local trading was active, and sellers had little difficulty in disposing was active, and sellers had little difficulty in disposing of their grain at better prices than yesterday. Receipts, 84 cars; shipments, 40 cars. Closing quotations—In store: No. 1 hard, cash and May, 85c; June, 853gc; July, 864gc; No. 1 Northern, cash and May, 84c; June, 843gc; July, 854gc; No. 2 Northern, cash and May, 82c: June, 825gc; July, 834gc. On track: No. 1 hard, 86@864gc; No. 1 Northern, 844g@854gc; No. 2 Northern, 82@834gc. Flour unchanged. TOLEBO, O., May 10.—Wheat active and lower; cash, 91c; May, 901cc; June and July, 901cc; August, 901cc; September, 92c; December, 933cc. Corn, no sales. Oats neglected. Clover-seed steady; cash, \$4.25; October, \$4.55. Receipts—Corn, 38,000 bu; oats, 1,000 bu; clover-seed, 73 bags. Shipments—Wheat, 12,700 bu; corn, 35,000 bu; oats, 100 bu; clover-seed, 80 bags.

clover-seed, 80 bags. DETROIT, May 10.—Wheat—No. 1 white, eash, 83c; No. 2 red, cash, June and July, 92c; August, 911gc. Corn—No. 2, 58c. Oats—No. 2, 353qc; No. 2 white, 383qc. Receipts—Wheat, 5,200 bu; corn, 2,000 bu; oats, 1,600 bu.

Catton.

LIVERPOOL, May 10.—Cotton firm with a good demand; sales, 12,000 bales, including 2,000 bales for speculation and export, and 9,000 bales American. NEW ORLEANS, May 10.—Cotton steady. Middling, 91gc; low middling, 9 1-16c; good ordinary, 8 9-16c; net receipts, 2,030 beles; gross receipts, 2,-130 bales; sales, 3,800 bales; stock, 162,583 bales. NEW YORK, May 10.—Cotton firm. Upland. 10c; Orleans, 10 c; sales 797 bales, including 600 bales or expert. Futures closed dull. May, 9.90c; June,

9.96c; July. 10.05c; August, 10.13c; September, 9.72c; October, 9.45c; November, 9.38c; December, 9.37c; January, 9.44c; February, 9.52c; March,

NEW YORK, May 10.—Petroleum was steady. Consolidated Exchange, opening, 864c; highest, 873c; lowest, 857c; closing, 864c. New York Stock Exchange, opening. 864c; highest, 874c; lowest, 864c; closing, 864c. Total sales, both exchanges, 925, 000 brls. Turpentine dull at 364c.

OIL CITY, Pa. May 10.—National Transit certifi-cates opened at 861gc; highest, 871gc; lowest, 86 c; closed, 86c; sales, 704,000 brls; clearances, 1,160,-000 brls; charters, 5,121 brls; shipments, 37,147 brls; runs, 41,384 brls.

PITTSBURG, Pa., May 10.—Petroleum dull and heavy. National Transit certificates opened at 867gc; closed at 857gc; highest, 874c; lowest, 857gc. CLEVELAND, May 10 .- Petroleum easy; standard

CHARLESTON, S. C., May 10 .- Turpentine firm SAVANNAH, Ga., May 10 .- Turpentine firm at WILMINGTON, N.C., May 10 .- Turpentine firm at

Dry Goods. NEW YORK, May 10.—Dry Goods—There was an improved inquiry for cotton goods, and with stocks being cleared and orders located, the market develops a ste adily increasing tone.

NEW YORK, May 10.—Copper dull; lake, 16.65c. Lead weak; domestic, 44c. Tin dull; straits, 21c. ST. LOUIS, May 10 .- Lead lower; commmon and

LIVE STOCK.

Shipping Cattle Slow Sale, While Butchers Are Strong-Hogs Weak at the Close. INDIANAPOLIS, May 10. CATTLE-Receipts, 115; shipments, 100. But few

on sale. Market strong on butchers' gradea, while shippers were slow sale at quotations. Choice to fancy shippers, 1,400 to 1,600 \$4.50@4.85 Common to fair shippers, 900 to 1,150 Bs average 3.40 23.85
Good to choice cows and heifers 3.40 24.00
Common to medium cows and heifers 2.25 23.25 Veals..... 3.00@4.50

Hogs-Receipts, 3,000; shipments, 1,220. Quality fair. Market opened active and higher, but later weakened and closed tower; all sold. SHEEP-Receipts 50; shipments, - Supply continues light. Market steady, except on common

wool grades which are very dull and hard to dispose of at satisfactory prices; few that class unsold. Good to choice.....\$5.50@6.00

CHICAGO, May 10.—The Drovers' Journal reports: Cattle—Receipts, 11,000; shipments, 4,000. Market slow and 10c lower; fancy, \$5.30; steers, \$3.80.4.90; atockers and feeders, \$2.65.33.95; cows, bulls and mixed, \$1.85.3.85; Texas steers, Hogs—Receipts, 26,000; shipments, 9,000. Market slow and 10c lower, closing firm; mixed, \$5.35@ 5.65; heavy, \$5.45@5.7712; light, \$5.25@5.60; skips,

Elsewhere.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 4,000; shipments, 1,000. Market steady; natives, \$4.50@6.60; Westerns, \$4.75@6.15; Texans, \$4@6; lambs, \$5.75@7. NEW YORK, May 10.—Beeves—Receipts, 700; all for a beef exporter. No market for beeves. Dressed beef slow at 6% 284c per in for poorest to best slaughtered sides. To-day's Liverpool cable quotes America refrigerator beef steady at 94go

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 6,200. Market was dull and weak at 5½27¼0 per ib for unshorn sheep, 728c for unshorn yearlings, 4¾26½c for clipped sheep, 5½28c for clipped yearlings, and 7½210c per ib for spring lambs.

Hogs—Receipts, 6,200; none offered alive; nominally steady at \$5.6526.10.

ST. LOUIS, May 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 400; shipments, 400. Market steady; choice heavy native steers, \$4.45.25; fair to good native steers, \$4.20. 4.60; butchers' steers, fair to choice, \$3.20.24.25; stockers and feeders, medium to good, \$2.20.23.50; rangers, ordinary to good, \$2.25.24.20.

Hogs—Receipts, 3,100; shipments, 1,100. Market active but lower; choice heavy and butchers' selections, \$5.60.25.75; packing, medium to prime, \$5.40.25.65; light grades, ordinary to best, \$5.25.25.55. Sheep—Receipts, 1,300; shipments, 1,100. Market strong; fair to fancy, \$4.26.20.

KANSAS CITY, May 10.—The Live Stock Indicator reports: Cattle-Receipts, 1.110; shipments, 794 Heavy shipping steers slow, weak and a shade lower; medium weight steady; good cows scarce and firm; common and grassers hard to sell; good to choice corn-fed. \$4.25@4.50; common to medium, \$3.25@4; stockers, \$2@2.90; feeding steers, \$3@3.60; cows, \$1.50@3.50.

Hogs.—Receipts, 9,357; shipments, 650. Market slow with values steady to 5c lower; good to choice, \$5.30\overline{1}5.45; common to medium, \$4.75\overline{1}5.20; skips and pigs, \$2.25\overline{1}4.50.

Sheep.—Receipts, 130; shipments, none. Market strong for good to choice muttons at \$4.50\overline{1}5; common to medium, \$204.

BUFFALO, May 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 420 head through; no sales. Market quiet and steady.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 600 head through; 2,400 head for sale. Sheep firm; 10e higher on extra; steady on good to choice; common dull, Sales 85 to 95 lbs, \$5.75@6.35; good, 80 to 95 lbs, \$5.40 @5.65; fair, 70 to 80 lbs, \$5.25. Lambs in good request and higher. Sales of 61 lbs yearlings, \$7.50; 58 lbs, \$6.25. Hogs—Receipts, 6,960 head through; 1,200 head for sale. Market steady; sales of heavy York weights and medium and heavy, \$626.10; light Yorkers, \$5.502 5.80; light and rough stock unchanged.

EAST LIBERTY, Pa., May 10,—Cattle—Receipts, 78; shipments, 76. Market steady at yesterday's quotations. No cattle shipped to New York to-day.

Hogs—Receipts, 1,900; shipments, 1.700. Market active. Philadelphias, \$626.05; mixed. \$5.802
5.90; Yorkers, \$5.0025.05; common to fair, \$5.50 25.60; pigs, \$525.25. Seven cars of hogs shipped to New York to-day.

Sheep—Receipts, 1.400; shipments, 1,800. Market firm at yesterday's quotations.

CINCINNATI, May 10.—Cattle-Receipts, 277; shipments, 52. Market quiet and firm. Sheep-Receipts, 110; shipments, 408. In good demand. Lambs scarce and steady at \$5@9. Hogs-Market steady, closing easier; common and light, \$4.25@5.65; packing and butchers', \$5.40 @5.80; receipts, 2,300; shipments, 650.

INDIANAPOLIS MARKETS. Trade Moderately Active-Prices as a Rule

Firm and Steady. INDIANAPOLIS, May 10. The volume of trade is still unsatisfactory in most departments, and, unless there is an early improvement, the business of May, 1888, is not to reach the figures expected at the coming in of the month. There is a dragging tendency to nearly all branches of traffic, which can only be explained on the theory that this section of the country is suffering now from the shortage of crops in 1887. The increasing tightness of the money market gives a basis for such a belief. The prospects for a good wheat crop are far from being favorable, yet it is hoped that it will not be as light as some of the down-in-the-mouth grain men would make it. A good fruit crop may be safely looked for, and there are good reasons for the belief that the corn crop of Indiana and Illinois is to be a large one; of course, it is too early to speak with any certainty about the matter. There were no fluctuations in values of importance to-day.

Provisions are selling slow; prices steady. Packers, however, show no anxiety about the matter, still believing hog products to be good property; meantime they are keeping a good deal of money out of circulation, as the banks are obliged to help the packers carry them. In groceries there is a fair movement. Sugars are firmer in tone than last week, and coffees are upward in their tendency.
Other groceries unchanged. In tinners' supplies an early break in the market is looked for. speculators having lost their grip on the article.
The iron men report trade a little slow and prices weak, but the hardware merchants are very busy. Early vegetables of Southern growth are coming on to the market more freely, and with this lower prices are in prospect, Strawberries in good supply and cheap for this early in the season. Receipts of poultry, eggs and butter moderate, and prices tend lower. The market is glutted with Irish potatoes. The wool market is steady in tone. Sales of wool in Boston last week were 1,577,000 pounds, against 2,356,800 pounds the previous week and 1,658,-200 pounds the same week last year. The total sales since Jan. 1, 1888, aggregate 49,661,059 against 40,926,800 pounds for the same time last year, an increase of 8,734,259 pounds. The seed men are having some trade, but their busy time is over, and with this weakening in prices on some descriptions may be looked for. The hide market presents no new features, inactivity being its leading characteristic.

dny, and the bidding quite spirited. Prices ranged a shade higher, and a better feeling was apparent all along the line. Track bids ruled to-day as follows: Wheat-No. 2 Mediterranean....

No. 3 Mediterranean.... No. 2 red No. 3 red. No. 2 white No. 3 white.....

No. 2 yellow..... No. 3 yellow.... No 2 mixed.... No. 3 mixed..... May ау..... Rys-No. 2. 66
Bran. \$16.50
Hay-Choice timothy 17.50
No. 1 timothy 17.00
No. 2 timothy 15.50

> The Jobbing Trade. CANNED GOODS.

CANNED GOODS.

Peaches—Standard, 3-pound, \$2.50@2.75; 3-pound seconds, \$2.25@2.40. Miscelleneous—Blackberries, 2-pound, \$1.05@1.10; raspberries, 2-pound, \$1.50@1.60; pineapple, standard, 2-pound, \$1.60@2.50; seconds, 2-pound, \$1.20@1.30; cove oysters, 1-pound, full weight, 95c@\$1; light, 65@70c; 2-pound, full, \$1.70@1.80; light, 90c@\$1; string beans, 90c@\$1.00; Lima beans, \$1.40@1.50; peas, marrowfat, \$1.10@1.40; small, \$1.50@1.75; lobsters, \$1.85@2; red cherries, \$1.40@1.60; strawberries, \$1.50@1.60; saimon, (Bs), \$2.00@2.75. COAL AND COKE.

Block, \$3.25 \$\P\$ ton; Minshall, \$3.50 \$\P\$ ton; Jack son, \$3.75 \$\P\$ ton; Pittsburg, \$4 \$\P\$ ton; Raymond city. \$4 \$\P\$ ton; Winifrede, \$4 \$\P\$ ton; Campbell creek, \$4 \$\P\$ ton; Hocking, \$3.75 \$\P\$ ton; Island City, \$3 \$\P\$ ton; nut. \$2.75 \$\P\$ ton; Highland, \$2.75 \$\P\$ ton; Duggar (Peacock) lump, \$3 \$\P\$ ton; nut. \$3 \$\P\$ ton; chestnut, No. 4 and stove anthracite, \$7 \$\P\$ ton; egg and grate anthracite, \$6.75 \$\P\$ ton; gas coke, 13c \$\P\$ bu; crushed coke. 14c \$\P\$ bu. All soft coal, nut size, 50c \$\P\$ ton less than the above prices on the same quality of lumps cos!

DBUGS.

Alcohol, \$2.18\(\pi 2.25 \); assafcetida, 15\(\pi 20 \)c; atum, 4\(\pi 5 \)c; camphor, 30\(\pi 32 \)c; cochineal, 50\(\pi 55 \)c; ehloroform, 55\(\pi 60 \)c; copperas, brls, \$3\(\pi 3.50 \); cream tartar, pure, 40\(\pi 42 \)c; indigo, 80\(\pi 81 \)c; licorice, Calab. genuine, 30\(\pi 45 \)c; magnesia, carb., 2-oz, 25\(\pi 35 \)c; morphine, P. & W. \(\pi \) oz, \$3.00\(\pi 3.10 \); madder, 12\(\pi 14 \)c; oil, eastor, ib gal, \$1.25\(\pi 1.30 \); oil, bergamot, \(\pi \) is, \$3\(\pi 3.25 \); opium, \$3.75\(\pi 4.00 \); quinine, P. & W., \(\pi \) oz, 56\(\pi 67 \)c; balsam, copabia, 60\(\pi 65 \)c; soap, Castile, Fr., 12\(\pi 16 \)c; soda, bicarb., 4\(\pi 26 \)c; saits, Epsom, 4\(\pi 50 \)c; sulphur, flour, 4\(\pi 60 \); saltpetre, 8\(\pi 20 \)c; turpentine, 44\(\pi 45 \)c; glycerine, 28\(\pi 32 \)c; iodide potass., \$3\(\pi 3.20 \); bromide potass., 40\(\pi 42 \)c; chlorate potash, 25\(\circ \); borax, 10\(\pi 12 \)c; einchonidia, 18\(\pi 22 \)c; carbolic acid, 45\(\pi 50 \)c.

OILS—Linseed oil, raw, 55\(\pi \) gal; boiled, 58\(\circ \)coal oil, legal test, 9\(\pi 14 \)c; bank, 40\(\circ \); best straits, 45\(\circ \); Labrador, 60\(\circ \); West Virginia, lubricating, 20\(\pi \) 30\(\circ \); miners', 65\(\circ \). Lard Oils—No. 1, 50\(\pi 55 \)c; do extra, 65\(\pi 70 \)c.

White Lead—Pure, 6\(\pi \)c; lower grades, 5\(\pi 206 \)c.

WHITE LEAD-Pure, 6%c; lower grades, 5406c. DRY GOODS. Tickings—Amoskeag ACA, 13c; Conestoga BF, 15c; Conestoga extra, 13 gc; Conestoga Gold Medal, 14c; Conestoga CCA, 12c; Conestoga AA, 10c; Conestoga X, 9c; Pearl River, 12c; Falls OBO, 32-inch, 13 gc; Methuen AA, 12 gc; Oakland A, 7 gc; Swift River, 6 gc; York, 32-inch, 13 gc; York, 30-inch, 11 gc.

BLEACHED SHEETINGS—Blackstone AA, Sc; Ballon & Scn, 7½c; Chestnut Hill, 6½c; Cabot 4-4, 7½c; Chapman X, 6½c; Dwight Star S, 9c; Fruit of the Loom, 8½c; Lonsdale, 8¾c; Linwood. 8½c; Masonville, 9c; New York Mills, 11c; Our Own, 5¾c; Pepperell, 9-4 22c; Pepperell 10-4, 24c; Hill's, 8½c; Hope, 7¾c; Knight's Cambric, 8c; Lonsdale Cambric, 11½c Whitinsville, 33-inch, 6½c; Wamsutta, 11½c.

GINGHAMS—Amoskeag. 7¾c; Bates. 7½c; Gloncester. 7½c; Glasgow, 6½c; Lancaster, 7¾c; Rapelmans, 7½c; Renfew Madras, 9c; Cumberland, 6½c; White, 7c; Bookfold, 10½c.

GRAIN BAGS—American. \$16.00; Atlanta, \$18; Franklinville. \$17.50, Lewiston, \$18; Ontario, \$16.50; Stark A, \$21.

Paper Cambrics—Manville, 6c; S. S. & Son,

PAPER CAMBRICS—Manville, 6c; S. S. & Son, 6c; Masonville, 6c; Garner, 6c.

PRINTS—American fancy, 6c; Allen's fancy, 5¹gc; Allen's dark, 5¹gc; Allen's pink, 6¹gc, Arnold's, 6¹gc, Berlin, solid colors, 6c; Cocheco, 6c; Conestoga; 5¹gc; Dunnell's, 5¹gc; Eddystone, 6¹gc; Hartel, 5¹gc; Harmony, 5c; Hamilton, 6c; Greenwich, 5¹gc; Knickerbocker, 5¹gc; Mallory, pink, 6c; Richmond, 6c.

BROWN SHEETINGS—Atlantic A, 7¹gc; Boott C 6c; Agawam E, 5¹gc; Bedford R, 4¹gc; Augusta, 5¹gc; Boott AL, 6³gc; Continental C, 6³gc; Lawrence LL, 6c; Pepperell E, 7³gc; Pepperell R, 6³gc; Pepperell 9-4, 21c; Pepperell 10-4, 23c; Utica 9-4, 22¹gc; Utica 10-4, 25c; Utica C, 4³gc.

FOREIGN FRUITS.

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FRUITS AND VEGETABLES. APPLES—Common, \$3.50; choice, \$4.00. CABBAGE—\$3.50@4.00 P crate. EARLY VEGETABLES—Green peas, \$1.25@1.75 P bu. String beans, \$1.50@2.00 P box; wax beans, \$2.25@2.75.

NEW POTATOES—\$5.50@\$6.25 \$\P\$ brl.
ONIONS—Bermudas, \$3.50@4.00 \$\P\$ crate.
POTATOES—90@95c \$\P\$ bu.
STRAWBERRIES—If in good condition, \$3.75@4.00
P crate of 24 quarts; choice Nashville growth, \$5.00 SWEET POTATOES-Southern stocks, \$3.75@4.00 TOMATOES-\$2.25@2.75 # bu box.

GROCERIES. COFFEES—Ordinary grades, 13@14c; fair, 15½ @16½c; good, 17@17½c; prime, 17½@18½c; strict; ly prime to choice, 18½@19½c; fancy green and yellow, 19½@20½c; old government Java, 26½@27½c; ordinary Java, 24½@26½c; imitation Java, 23½@24½c; roasted coffees, 19¾c.

MOLASSES AND SYRUPS—New Orleans molasses, fair to prime, 30@35c; choice, 40@50c. Syrups, 33@40c. FLOUR SACKS—No. 1 drab. 4 brl, \$33 \$\psi\$ 1,000; 4s brl, \$17; lighter weight, \$1 \$\psi\$ 1,000 less.

LEAD—708c for pressed bars.

DRIED BEEF—11 \$\pi\$ 13.

SPICES—Pepper, 18 \(\pi\$ 219c; alispice, 10 \(\pi\$ 12c; cloves, 25 \(\pi\$ 28c; cassia, 10 \(\pi\$ 12c; nutmegs, 70 \(\pi\$ 85c

STARCH—Refined pearl, 31423120 P B; Eureka, 5
26; Champion gloss lump, 53426c; improved corn,
53426120.

RICE—Louisiana, 627120.

SHOT—\$1.4521.50 P bag for drop.

SUGARS—Hards, 71828c; confectioners A, 6782
7c; Standard A, 6582634c; off A, 6122658c; white
extra C, 63226120; fine yellows, 6142638c; good
yellows, 6182614c; fair yellows, 57826c; common
vellows, 5142534c. SALT-In car lots, 98c, P barrel; less than car lots, TWINE—Hemp, 12@18c & B; wool, 8@10c; flax, 20@30c; paper. 18c; jute, 12@15c; cotton, 16@25c. Woodenware—No. 1 tubs, \$6.50@7; No. 2 tubs, \$5.50@6; No. 3 tubs, \$4.50@5; two-hoop pails, \$1.35@1.40; three-hoop pails, \$1.50@1.60; double washboards, \$2@2.75; common washboards, \$1.20 1.85; clothes-pins, 50@85c per box.

Wooden Dishes—Per 100, 1b, 20c; 2bs, 25c; WOODEN DISHES—Per 100, 18, 20c; 283, 20c; 3 ms, 30c; 5 fbs, 40c.

WRAPPING-PAPER—Crown straw, 18c & bundle; medium straw, 27c; double-crown straw, 86c; heavy-weight straw, 13, 22c & fb; erown rag, 20c & bundle; medium rag, 30c; double-crown rag, 40c; heavy-weight rag, 21, 23c & fb; Manilla, No. 1, 829c; No. 2, 51, 2661ge; print paper, No. 1, 627c; book paper, No. 3, 8. & C., 10211c; No. 2, 8. & C., 829c; No. 1, 627c; book paper, No. 3, 8. & C., 10211c; No. 2, 8. & C., 829c; No. 1, 627c; book paper, No. 3, 8. & C., 10211c; No. 2, 8. & C., 829c; No. 1, 627c; book paper, No. 3, 8. & C., 10211c; No. 2, 8. & C., 829c; No. 1, 627c; book paper, No. 3, 8. & C., 10211c; No. 2, 8. & C., 829c; No. 1, 627c; book paper, No. 3, 8. & C., 10211c; No. 2, 8. & C., 829c; No. 1, 627c; book paper, No. 3, 8. & C., 10211c; No. 2, 8. & C., 829c; No. 1, 627c; book paper, No. 3, 8. & C., 10211c; No. 2, 8. & C., 829c; No. 1, 627c; book paper, No. 3, 8. & C., 10211c; No. 2, 8. & C., 829c; No. 1, 627c; book paper, No. 3, 8. & C., 10211c; No. 2, 8. & C., 829c; No. 1, 627c; book paper, No. 3, 8. & C., 10211c; No. 2, 8. & C., 829c; No. 1, 627c; book paper, No. 3, 8. & C., 10211c; No. 2, 8. & C., 829c; No. 1, 627c; book paper, No. 3, 8. & C., 10211c; No. 2, 8. & C., 829c; No. 1, 627c; book paper, No. 3, 8. & C., 10211c; No. 2, 8. & C., 829c; No. 1, 627c; book paper, No. 3, 8. & C., 10211c; No. 2, 8. & C., 829c; No. 2, 820c; No.

1, 8. & C., 7408c. Bar iron (rates), 2@2.25c; horse-shoe bar, 3.25c; Norway nail rod, 8c; German steel plow-slabs, 4c; American drill steel, 10@12c; Sanderson tool steel, 15c; tire steel, 4c; spring steel, 6c; horse shoes \$\psi\$ keg, \$\\$4.25\@4.50\$; mules shoes, \$\psi\$ keg, \$\\$5.25\@5.50\$; horse nails, \$\psi\$ box, 8d, \$5; steel nails, 10d and larger, \$\\$2.25\@2.35 \$\psi\$ keg; other sizes at the usual advance; wire nails, \$2.90.

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TINNERS' SUPPLIES—Best brand charcoal tin—IO, 10x14, 14x20, 12x12, \$7.00; IX, 10x14 14x20 and 12x12, \$8.75; IC, 14x20, roofing tin, \$5.50, IC, 20x28, \$11.00; block tin, in pigs, 36e; in bars, 41c. Iron—27 B iron. 34c; 27 O iron, 5c; galvanized, 50 and 10 per cent. discount. Sheet zinc, 64c. Copper bottoms, 30c. Planished copper, 36c; solder, 21 23c. LEATHER, HIDES AND TALLOW.

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LEATHER—Oak sole, 33@37c; hemlock sole, 26@
32c; harness, 30@35c; skirting, 37@38c; black bridle, \$60@65; fair bridle, \$60@78 \$\text{P}\$ doz.;
city kip, \$60@80; Freuch kip, 85c@\$1.20; city calf
skins, 85c@\$1.10; French calf-skins, \$1.15@1.80.

HIDES—No. 1, cured, 6; No. 2, 4@44c; No. 1,
gree.. 5c; No. 1 calf, green, 6c; No. 1 calf, cured.
6%@7c; No. 2, 2c off; dry salt, 9e; flint, 10c,
Damaged, onethird off the above prices.

SHEEPSKINS—50c@\$1.

TALLOW—Prime, 31c@4c. TALLOW-Prime, 31204c. GREASE-Brown, 212c; yellow, 24c, white, 31204c

Oil cake-\$23 P ton; oil meal. \$23. PROVISIONS.

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JOBBING PRICES—Smoked Meats—Sugar-cured hams, 10 to 12 ibs average, 124c; 15 ibs average; 12c; 17½ ibs average, 11½c; 20 ibs average, 11½c; 22 ibs average, 11½c; English cured breakfast bacon, light or medium, 11½c; sugar-cured shoulders, 10 to 12 ibs average, 8½c; California hams, light or medium, 8¾c; dried beef hams, light or medium, 8¾c; dried beef hams, ight or medium, 8¾c; dried beef hams, ight or medium, 8¾c; dried beef hams, ight pieces, 10c. Bacon clear sides, medium average, 9½c; 35 ibs and over, average, 9¾c; clear beilies, medium weight, 9¾c. Dry-salt and Pickled Meats—Clear sides (unsmoked), 8¾c; clear beilies, medium weight, 9¾c. Dry-salt and Pickled Meats—Clear sides (unsmoked), 8¾c; clear backs (unsmoked), 8¾c; clear beilies (unsmoked), 9c; clear bean pork, pbrl 200 ibs, \$17.50; family mess pork, pbrl 200 ibs, \$16.50; ham or rump, pbrl 200 ibs, \$14.00; pig pork, in 100-ib kegs, pkeg, \$3.00. Bologna—Skin, large or small, 7½c; cloth, large or small, 7½c; cloth, large or small, 7½c; cloth, large or small, 7½c; prime leaf lard, in tierces, 8½c. Refined Lard—In tierces, 8½c; in 50-ib cans in 100-ib cases, 8¼c. Sweet pickled hams 9¾210¼c, according to average. Sweet pickled shoulders, 6½c; clear-rib sides, 7½c. Prime steam lard, 7½c.

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BEANS—Choice hand-picked navy, \$2.85@3.25 p
bu; medium hand-picked, \$2.40@2.80.

BUTTER—Fair creamery, 19@21c; choice 23@25c; ountry roll, 16@18c; common, 8@10c.

BEESWAX—Dark, 18c; yellow, 20c.

EGGS—Selling from store at 12c; shippers paying 101g@11c P doz. POULTRY—Hens and chickens, 9@919c; roosters, 4c; turkeys, hens, 9@919c; young toms, 8c; old toms, 7c; geese, full-feathered, \$4.00; poor plucked, \$3.50 P doz; ducks, 7c P B; young chickens, \$5.00@6.00 P dozen, according to size.

FRATHERS—Prime geese, 35c P B; mixed duck, 20. 20.

Wool-Tub-washed and picked, 33@35c; un-washed, medium and common grade, it in good order 20@22c; unwashed fine, 17@18c; fleece-washed, if light, well washed and in good order, 28@30c; burry and unmerchantable, according to their value. Clover-Common red or June, prime (recleane !)

\$4.10@4.25 \$\P\$ bu; English or mammoth, prime (reeleaned), \$4.00@4.25; Alsike, prime, \$7.25@7.50;
Alfalfa, prime, \$7.50@8.00; white, \$7.50@8.00;
prime timothy, \$2.80@3.00; \$\P\$ bu; extra elean blue
grass, \$1.15@1.30 \$\P\$ bu; red top, 50@75c \$\P\$ bu;
orchard grass, \$1.50@1.65 \$\P\$ bu; German millet,
\$1.75@2 \$\P\$ bu; Southern grown millet, \$1.50 per
bu; common millet \$1.00 per bu; flax-seed, selected,
\$1.60@1.75 per bu; old pop-corn, 3@4c per fl; new
pop-corn, 60@70c per bu; hemp, 3\[\frac{1}{2}\)c; canary, 5c;
rate, 9c per fl. Aeme lawn grass seed, 20c per fl;
\$2.25 per bu. Spinach—Bloomsdale savoy-leaf
(sealed bags), 30c per lb. Landreth's extra early
peas (sealed), \$4.50 per bu.

FIELD SEEDS

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Indianapolis Correspondence in American Farm There is a general tone of confidence in the year's outlook that is noticeable everywhere. Perhaps the fact is in the public thought that every great drought has been followed by plenti-ful years. I believe there has not been an ex-

Notwithstanding the low prices that have prevailed for a few years on farm products, there is a very decided toning up of prices of land everywhere. This is another evidence of the general confidence in the future. Farm lands that could have been bought a year ago for \$30 and \$35 per acre cannot be had now at less than \$40 and \$45. There seem to be period ic ebbs and flows of prosperity, now to com merce and manufacturing, and now to lands and agriculture. Just now there is very sharp competition in all lines of manufacturing and commercial pursuits, aud margins are close and profits small. These facts and the uncertainties in these fields have turned the thought to investments in lands, stock-raising and general agriculture. The trend is to agriculture, decidedly, and hence the very marked toning up of land values. It is observable in all the States I have mentioned. It is especially so in the central State of Indiana. There is a more bouyant spirit in this direction in Indiana than any other, perhaps partly owing to the great natural-gas find, which is more extensive than that of any other section in the world. Its central location and wonderful mineral resources and railway facilities also have something to do with this. I do not think that I can be mistaken in the belief, after nearly sixty years of observation, that agriculture is on the threshold of new

lific crops of 1888. Farm Notes. Beans prefer a rather light, dry soil, and dwarf sorts are in general earliest and most

prosperity, and that it will begin with the pro-

For home use the white onions are preferred, as they are mild in flavor. For market use the red and ye!low kinds are the most desirable. Fertilizers for strawberries give the best results when applied near the surface and not worked into the soil, as the roots feed near the

surface instead of penetrating deeply. The farmer who thinks that to make money he must go where land is cheaper, should consider well if he would not make more money by making the land he has deeper and richer.

Do not cover small seeds with too much earth. Half an inch is deep enough for some kinds, as too thick a covering would cause them to perish before they could germinate and push through. Such perennial herbs as sage, fennel, balm, mint, hoarhound, lavender, rue, thyme, savory and tansy are easily grown, and should be found in every garden, as once obtained they require but little labor and care.

To have a good supply of peas, plantings should be made successively from a week to ten days apart, up to the last of May. McLean's Little Gem, Dwarf Blue Imperial and Champion of England are all good varieties; the latter is very productive, growing from four to five An extensive Kansas vine-growers' short and

plain rule for trimming grape vines: Trim away from a three-year-old vine in good condition all but twelve feet of new wood, divided among the different branches, and train the arms of the vine as much as possible in a fan shape on the trellis. Give older and stronger vines more wood; weaker ones less. Here are two remedies for feather eating sug-

gested by an exchange: Hang up a piece of salt pork where the hens can pick it. They'are after the salt at the point of the quill. Place feather-eaters in a coop by themselves and give them all the lard they will eat, and it will cure them. The cause of eating feathers is lack of fat. They pull out the feathers to get the fat in the quills.

The cheapest and best mode of keeping lice out of the poultry-house is to add a quart of kerosene oil to each bucket of strong soapsuds on washing days and thoroughly saturate the floor, walls, roosts, and every portion of the poultry-house, forcing the liquid into the cracks and crevices. It will kill the vermin as soon as it shall touch them, being one of the best insecticides known.

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"Richmond and Columbus... 9:00am 4:00pm

Arrive from N.Y., Pittsb'g and East.11:45am 10:20pm

"Columb's, Richm'd, etc., 9:40am 2:50pm

Eleepers to Pittsburg and New York without change.

Leave for Chicago and Northwest...11:15am 11:00pm Arrive from Chicago and Northwest. 4:00am 3:50pm

Leave for Louisville
and the South...... 4:15am 8:15am 4:00pm 5:50pm
Arrive from Louisville
and the South...... 10.20am 11:10am 6:45pm 10:45pm

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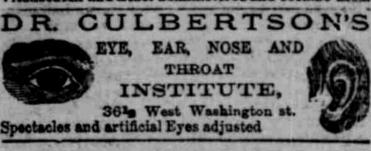


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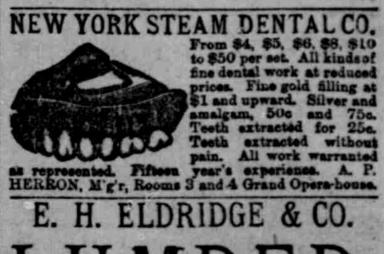


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